



COVID-19 Resource Guide for Wyoming

Personal Health Information

What should you do if you are sick and suspect COVID-19?

Center for Disease Control

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/steps-when-sick.html>

Wyoming Department of Health

<https://health.wyo.gov/publichealth/infectious-disease-epidemiology-unit/disease/novel-coronavirus/>

Employment Information

What resources are available if you have recently lost your job or had your hours cut?

Workers can submit applications for benefits online through the Wyoming Department of Workforce Services by filing at wyui.wyo.gov or by calling (307) 473-3789.

Questions and Answers about unemployment compensation:

<http://wyomingworkforce.org/docs/data/epidemiology/faq-covid19.pdf>

What are the new federal paid leave requirements related to COVID-19?

The U.S. Department of Labor's Fact Sheet:

<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/pandemic/ffcra-employee-paid-leave>

Question and Answers about paid leave during coronavirus:

<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/pandemic/ffcra-questions>

The U.S. Department of Labor's Wage and Hour Division temporary rule issuing regulations: <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/ffcra>

Field Assistance Bulletin on the Department of Labor's 30-day non-enforcement policy: <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/field-assistance-bulletins/2020-1>

Required Poster for Employers to Fulfill Notice Requirement: https://www.dol.gov/sites/dolgov/files/WHD/posters/FFCRA_Poster_WH1422_Non-Federal.pdf

FAQ's Related to Tax Credits for Small and Midsize Businesses: <https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/covid-19-related-tax-credits-for-required-paid-leave-provided-by-small-and-midsize-businesses-faqs>

Financial Impact Information

What is the individual tax rebate program and who qualifies for a payment?

<https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus>
<https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/economic-impact-payments-what-you-need-to-know>
<https://www.finance.senate.gov/chairmans-news/cares-act-recovery-checks-faq>

What financial assistance is available to small businesses, independent contractor, sole proprietors, or self-employed?

<https://www.sba.gov/>
<https://www.wyomingsbdc.org/covid19/>
<https://wyomingbusiness.org/wyoemployerresources>
<https://www.uschamber.com/press-release/us-chamber-releases-two-new-step-step-guides-covid-employer-tax-credit-disaster-loans>

The Paycheck Protection Program provides small businesses with eight weeks of cash-flow assistance through 100% federally guaranteed loans to cover payroll costs, rent, and utilities. The loan can be forgiven for employers who retain employees during this emergency.

<https://home.treasury.gov/system/files/136/PPP%20--%20Overview.pdf>

Starting April 3, 2020, small businesses, and sole proprietorships can apply. Starting April 10, 2020, independent contractors and self-employed individuals can apply.

<https://home.treasury.gov/system/files/136/Paycheck-Protection-Program-Application-3-30-2020-v3.pdf>

Agriculture Information

What assistance is available to agriculture producers?

<https://www.rd.usda.gov/coronavirus>

<https://www.usda.gov/coronavirus>

<https://www.farmers.gov/coronavirus>

H2A Visas: The Department of State and the Department of Homeland Security made the decision to authorize temporary waivers for in-person interviews for eligible H-2 visa applicants.

Education Information

How are students, schools, and educators impacted by COVID-19?

Information from the Wyoming Department of Education:

<https://edu.wyoming.gov/educators/covid-19-resources>

Information from the U.S. Department of Education:

<https://www.ed.gov/coronavirus>

<https://studentaid.gov/announcements-events/coronavirus>

How to Help Information

What can individuals and businesses do to help?

<https://www.fema.gov/industry-liaison-program>

<https://www.fema.gov/coronavirus/how-to-help>

<https://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/help/for-patient>

Recreation and Travel Information

What are the impacts of COVID-19 to your outdoor recreation plans?

Before starting your trip, you should check with the appropriate agency to obtain the most current access status for the site you are visiting.

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/about-agency/covid19-updates>

<https://www.nps.gov/aboutus/news/public-health-update.htm>

<https://www.blm.gov/office/wyoming-state-office>

<https://wyoparks.wyo.gov/>

<https://wgfd.wyo.gov/About-Us/COVID-19-Response>.

What should you do if you or a family are traveling abroad and need assistance?

If you are considering traveling internationally, the U.S. State Department has issued its highest level advisory urging all U.S. citizens to avoid international travel.

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/ea/travel-advisory-alert-global-level-4-health-advisory-issue.html>

Enroll in the U.S. Department of State's Smart Traveler Enrollment Program (STEP): <https://step.state.gov/>

Contact the nearest U.S. embassy or consulate via <https://www.usembassy.gov>

Call the 24 hour consular affairs worldwide emergency line:

1-888-407-4747 (U.S. & Canada) or

1-202-501-4444 (from overseas)

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/ea/covid-19-information.html>

Wyoming and Community Resource Information

What is the State of Wyoming doing to address COVID-19?

Wyoming Governor's Office

<https://covid19.wyo.gov/>

What additional Wyoming resources are available?

Wyoming County Commissioners Association

<https://www.wyo-wcca.org/~wcca/index.php/covid-19-resources/>

Wyoming 211

<https://wy211.communityos.org/covid19-faqs>

Casper Star Tribune

https://trib.com/news/state-and-regional/need-relief-during-the-pandemic-here-s-where-you-can/article_c9101e4a-7eb9-56f9-b1f3-d5d32133c4d0.html